## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Prepared November 9, 1990

Mine Name: Quarry Antone I.D. No: M/045/021 Operator: Lone Star Industries County: Tooele dba Utah Portland Quarries, Inc. New/Existing: Existing P. O. Box 1469 Mineral Ownership: Operator Salt Lake City, Utah 84110 Surface Ownership: Operator Telephone: (801) 277-1256 Lease No.(s): N/A Contact Person: Ashby Decker Permit Term: Life of Mine Life of Mine: 10 years Legal Description: NE1/4 Section 18, NW1/4 Section 17, SW1/4 Section 8, T2S, R6W, SLBM, Tooele County, Utah Mineral(s) to be Mined: Shale Mining Methods: Surface Mine Acres to be Disturbed: 13.3 acres Present Land Use: Rangeland and mining Postmining Land Use: Rangeland Variances from Reclamation Standards (Rule R613) Granted: R613-004-111(7) Highwalls and R613-004-111(13) Revegetation Soils and Geology: Soil Description: Upland gravelly loam pH:\_7.7 Special Handling Problems: Slight to moderate erosion hazard Geology Description: Mississippian age Great Blue Limestone/Manning Canyon Shale. Dip of beds is approximately 70 degrees

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Ground Water Description: Water table is located below the zone of mining.
Surface Water Description: An ephemeral drainage crossing the mine site will e diverted around the operation and adequately protected from erosion. No perennial water is found on the permit area.
Vater Monitoring Plan: None required
Ecology:
Vegetation Type(s); Dominant Species: <u>Sagebrush, Sanberg bluegrass, Bluebunch wheatgrass, uniper and Needle and thread grass.</u>
Percent Surrounding Vegetative Cover: 65 percent
Vildlife Concerns: No significant concerns identified.
Surface Facilities: None proposed.
Mining and Reclamation Plan Summary:
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## **During Operations:**

- 1. Lone Star Industries will develop and operate a 10-year open pit shale quarry. Open pit mining will proceed from south to north. Two to four feet of overburden material will be removed with dozers and stockpiled for reclamation. The shale deposit will then be mined to a depth of approximately 70 feet utilizing dozers with rippers and front-end loaders.
- 2. The operation will disturb approximately three acres initially and five additional acres every five years.
- 3. Prior to each mining advance, topsoil will be stripped, stockpiled and protected from erosion.

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4. Mined rock will be transported by truck to Salt Lake City for processing. There will be no waste piles, buildings, foundations, sewage or any associated facilities located on the mine site.

## Following Operations:

- 1. All equipment and extraneous debris will be removed form the minesite.
- 2. All disturbed areas, including roads, pads and benches will be stabilized and graded to a rounded configuration with slopes not exceeding 2H:1V. Highwalls will be left in a stable condition.
- 3. Upon reclamation, the stockpiled topsoil will be spread over all disturbed areas including the terraced benches.
- Standard agronomic practices will be used to prepare the seedbed for drill and/or broadcast seeding. Disturbed ares will be reclaimed with native vegetative species.

## Surety:

Amount: \$34,400	(1995 dollars)	
Form: Surety Bor	ıd	
Renewable Term: 5 years		

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